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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Noriyuki HARA, et al.

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## **AMENDMENT**

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Responsive to the Official Action of December 8, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows.

Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/comments begin on page 3 of this paper.